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Extraction of flavan-3-ol polyphenol(s) - useful in pharmaceutical, dietetic and cosmetic compsns. as free radical eliminators

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Abstract (Basic): EP 384796 A

Purified flavane-3-ol polyphenolic extracts (pyonogenols; I) are extd. from various vegetable sources by the following process: the vegetable material is extd. with water, filtered, kept in the cold, and centrifuged. The liq. is extd. with ethyl acetate and the organic phase sepd.. The soln, is evapd, under reduced pressure to recover the ethyl acetate and the residue is dissolved in water. Lyophilisation of the soln, gives (I) as a water-soluble powder.

USE/ADVANTAGE - (I) has an action against oxygenated free radicals and may be used in pharmacy, for example as an anti-inflammatory, dietetics, and cosmetics. The process is simple to carry out, does not require the use of quantities of salt (which gives rise to effluent disposal problems), and gives a higher yield than was obtainable by other methods. (6pp Dwg.No.0/0)

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